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ERCANTILE BANK OF MEMPHIS.

Over the Marriage of Fred Douglass, the Well-Known

Negro Leader, with a White Woman He Has Had Employed as a Copyist in His Office.

No Steps Yet Taken by the Ways and Means Committee for the Preparation of a Tariff Bill.

Interstate Commerce-Keifer Cornered Banking Bills-Lotterie; and the Mails-Capital Points.

THE TARIFF.

No Steps Taken by the House Committee for the Preparation of a Bill.

Washington, January 24.—Careful i quiry among the members of the Ways and Means Committee shows that whatever Mr. Morrison may be doing individually, no steps have yet been taken by the committee as a whole toward the preparation of a tariff bill. Mr. Mills, of Texas, said to-night: "You can say with perfect safety that the subject has not even been broached yet. The committee up to this time has been entirely occupied in the consideration of private bills. As to what any particular member of the committee may be doing, of course I cannot say. Mr. Hewitt does not deny that he is at work on a bill, the main features of which have appeared in print. As to Mr. Morrison, if he is preparing, or has prepared, a bill, than the original bill. Upon the conclusion of know it. I can say, how-I do not know it. I can say, however, that if so he has never said anything about it to the committee. I think the committee will be prepared to commence the consideration of a tariff bill in about ten days. Certainly the subject no bill, whoever may be the father of it, will be reported until it has been exhaustively considered."

A DECIDED SENSATION. Marriage of Fred Douglass to a White Woman.

two witnesses. Mr. Douglass wore a full event before it occurred, Douglass's family been a clerk or copyist in Douglass's office, that of recorder of deeds for the gure, with black hair. Her family have among colored people, and it is said to night, are overwhelmed with grief and colored children over fifty. The news of the marriage has created a decided sensa-

Washington, January 24.—Fred Doug lass, the well-known colored leader, wa

married in this city this evening to Mis Helen M. Pitts, white, formerly of Akron O. The wedding, which took place at the house of Dr. Grimke, of the Presbyterian church, was private, only two witnesses being present. The first wife of Douglass who was a colored woman, died about a year ago. The woman he married to-day is about thirty-five years of age, and was employed as copyist in his office while ho was marshal of the District. Douglass is about seventy-three years old, and had daughters as old as his present wife.

KEIFER CORNERED.

Washington, January 24 .- C. W. Ty son, stenographer of the Forty-seve Congress, was examined to-day by the House Committee on Accounts. The witness resigned the position at the close of the last Congress. He was called to testify what he knew concerning the removal of House employes of the Forty seventh Congress and the appointment of nen who did no work. A few days since x-Speaker Keifer said the resignation of vson was voluntary, and showed a con the committee to-day asked the witne he cause of his resigning his position and he said his resignation was demande by Keifer, who expressed a desire to a point his nephew. Tyson further said had not contemplated resigning till h

LOTTERIES AND THE MAILS. The Matter Discussed by the Sena Committee on Postoffices.

WASHINGTON, January 24.-There was ning in relation to the use of the mail by lottery companies, and a sub-commi-tee, consisting of Senators Sawyer, Wilso and Jackson, was appointed to look interest the matter at greater length and furthe censult with the Postmaster-General. The papers containing lottery advertisements and withholding money others and regis-tered letters addressed to lottery companies. The committee ordered a favor able report on the House bill making pub lic highways postroads. The committee also decided to devote the next regula meeting to the consideration of the post elegraph bill. Dr. Norvin Green, pres lent of the Western Union Telegrap

NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE.

Washington, January 24.—At the ses-ion of the National Board of Trade, Mr. washing to Sion of the National Board of Trade, Mr. Dodd, of Portland, read a paper on the desirability of removing the bar at the mouth of Columbia and Willamette rivers, Oregon. After discussion, a resolution was adopted requesting Congress to make an appropriation for the purpose of testing the feasibility of enlarging the Michigan and Illinois canal, and the construction of the Hennepin canal was also discussed. It was the general sense of the convention that Congress should further these works. At the afternoon session the convention considered the expediency of recommending legislation looking to the enactment of a national bankrupt law. A resolution was passed or give the capability of the applicant to be determined by the inspector. The amendance of the applicant to be determined by the inspector. The amendance has a boy baby weighing eighteen pounds, full weight, by his wife, a few days ago. Dr. Phillips says it is the largest and finest baby he has seen in a practice of forty years.

Poison Gak.

I had for thrity-eight years suffered every spring and summer with poison oak, which I contracted in bathing when a boy. I tried everything for it, including the convention considered the expediency of recommending legislation looking to the enactment of a national bankrupt law. A resolution was passed or fame such law, are solution was passed in favor of a higher rating of safety valves. a by a paper of the desirability of removing the bar at the mouth of Columbia and Willameter rivers, Oregon. After discussion, a resolution was adopted requesting Congress to make an appropriation for the purpose of the convention that Congress should turned to the convention that Congress should further the purpose and the convention of a national state of the state of the convention of a national state of the state of the convention of a national state of the s

A GREAT SENSATION.

structed to report to-morrow, when the day's session will be devoted to the consideration of their report and to the discussion of Mr. Reagan's interstate commerce bill. The delegates attended a banquet to-night, to which a number of Senators and Representatives were invited.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE. Representatives of the Railroads II fore the House Committee.

Washington, January 24.—J. H. Green, vice-president of the Pennsylvania railroad, made an argument before the House Committee on Commerce to-day against the bills regulating interstate commerce. He objected to any law restraining railroads from pooling business. roads from pooling business.

D. W. Seilers, of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Company, took the broad ground that no power of Congress could regulate railway interstate commerce in the sense proposed by the bills before the committee. He asserted that there was no such thing as company, between

he expressed a qualified preference for the substitute, it being more easily understood substitution was decided in the affirma-tive by a vote of 5 to 3. Senator McPher-son's bill was then offered as a substitute to Aldrich's proposition. It provides for the issue of circulating notes in an equal amount to the par value of bonds of all kinds deposited as security for circula-

Reports of the Majority and Minority of the Senate Committee. Marriage of Fred Douglass to a White Woman.

Special to the Appeal.

Washington, January 24.—Frederick Douglass was married at the Congregational church at 6 o'clock this evening to a white woman, named Miss Helen M. Pitts. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. M. Grimke, of the Fifteenth Pressure.

Reports of the Majority and Minority of the Senate Committee. Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage and Minority of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, on the Committee on Foreign Relations, on the joint resolution to give notice to the Hariage A. A. A. Nichols; Sumpson, T. R. Gowins, Sunflower, Holmes Baker; Tallahatichie, J. C. Fonda; Tate, W. B. Rosers Washer, Washer, Washer, T. J. Woore; Washington, M. F. Rogers; Warren, H. L. Moore; Washington, M. F. Rogers; Warren, H. L. Moore; Washington, M. F. Rainwater; Perry, G. D. Hartfield; Pike, Washington, J. A. Woman Found Frozen, with a Newborn Babe in Her Arms.

A Woman Found Frozen, With a Newborn Babe in Her Arms.

South J. A. Fort; Panela, J. A. Fort; Panela, J. A. Rogers Perry, G. D. Hartfield; Pike, Washington, J. A. Nichols; Sumpson, J. R. Scott, J. A. Nichols; Sumpson, J. R. Scott, J. A. Scott, J. A. Woman Found for the m the United States has not been adequately compensated by the advantages of trade with the Sandwich Islands. Every new route of transportation leading from the Pacific to Europe will, the committee thinks, put in jeopardy the trade of the United States with the Hawaiian Islands unless present treaty agreements are made permanent. It expresses the opinion that other nations will be found eager to seiz the advantages this country would re-linquish by the abrogation of the treaty. Australia and the Dominion of Canada, it thinks, would be willing to make most avorable terms with the Hawaiian Islands for the trade of those islands, and the opening of a canal across the Isthmus of Darien would cause Hawaiian trade to better markets in Europe tha seek better markets in Lurope than this country offers. Alluding to loss of revenue to the United States by the operation of the treaty, the committee says: "The balance against this country represents only the profits and gains of our own people employed in agriculture, trade and finance lealings with the Hawaiian people." report closes with this statement: "What-ever objections so far have been found to the workings and results of the treaty are

by a duty we owe the people of both countries to give certainty and permanency to the gratifying prosperity the treaty has created." Senator Sherman nakes the minority report. The body of a similar proposition in the Forty-seventh Congress. The minority considers the loss of revenue to the United States overbalances the benefits derived from the treaty. They think the best thing to do is

tering into other commercial relations with the Sandwich Island more nearly reciprocal than the provisions of the pres CAPITAL POINTS.

Not a Candidate. Washington, January 24.—Senator Ingalls says he is not a candidate for the position on the bench made vacant by the resignation of Judge McCrary.

De Long's Remains

The Secretary of the Navy received able message from Minister Hunt, at S Petersburg, announcing the departure of Lient. Harber from Moscow with the re-mains of De Long and party. The American Merchant Martn

flouse a bill to encourage merchant marine, which was referred to the special Shipping Committee. This is the bill recommended my the Phila lelphia Maritime Exchange. Georgia Huklux Cases. Argument was concluded to-day in the rpus in the case of the Georgia kuklus

olicitor-General Phillips appeared for the overnment, and argued that the United ates Circuit Court had full jurisdiction. Aid for Education. At a meeting of the House Committee in Education bills regulating Feder tee, of which Mr. Willis is chairman

ommittee from the National Colored Convention, held at Louisville, was pres ent, and urged that the colored people be aided by appropriation for educationa The members of the House Committee on Rivers and Harbors informally con

on Rivers and Harbors informally considered the time for reporting a bill. It is the general opinion that all appropriations ought to be embodied in one measure and reported as goon as possible, and the expenditure of the appropriations left to the discretion of the chief engineer. Willis, chairman of the committee, thought the bill might be prepared by April 15th. April 15th.

The sub-committee of the House Con mittee on Agriculture have agreed to report, with two amendments, the bill proposed by the Cattle-Breeders Conven-tion for the extermination of diseases among domestic animals. The appropriation determined upon is \$250,000, instead of \$500,000, and the States are required to contribute a sum equal to that apportioned among them by the general government. The report will be submitted by the entire Lo-morrow.

The Question of Railroad Supervision Made the Special Order for To-Day Bills and Resolutions.

JACKSON, MISS. Legislative Proceedings County Superintendents of Election Confirmed Railroad Supervision.

Greene, W. W. Thompson; Grenada, J. J. Gage, jr.; Hancock, A. G. Stevenson; Harrison, C. D. Lancaster; Hinds, T. A. Wolfe; Holmes, John H. Paplen; Issaquena, W. F. Reeve; Itawamba, J. W. Bennett; Jackson, W.L. Howyer; Jasper, F. M. Mosely; Jefferson, L. W. Carradine; Jones, J. T. Barrett; Kemper, A. G. Vincent; Lafayette, P. A. Rush; Lauderdale, M. H. Whittaker; Lawrence, W. F. McGinnis; Lawrence, W. F. McGinnis; Lawrence, W. F. McGinnis; Lake, Raymond, Reid; McGinnis; Lake, Raymond, Reid; McGinnis; Lake, Raymond, Reid; McGinnis; Leke, Raymond, Reid; McGinnis; McGinnis; McGinnis; McGinnis; McGinnis; McGinnis; McG

amount to the par value of bonds of all kinds deposited as security for circulation. The vote upon this question resulted 4 to 4. Senator Beck not being present, the committee adjourned without final action.

THE HAWAHAN TREATY.

Reports of the Majority and Minority of the Senate Committee.

M. H. Whittaker; Lawrence, W. F. Mc-McGinnis; Leake, Raymond, Reid; Lee, Dr. Edwards; Lellore, A. F. Gardner; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lowndes, W. L. Lipscomb; Madison, W. B. Stinson; Marshall, E. D. Miller; Monroe, E. P. Thompson; Montgomery, H. F. McGinnis; Leake, Raymond, Reid; Lee, Dr. Edwards; Leilore, A. F. Gardner; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lowndes, W. L. Lipscomb; Madison, W. B. Stinson; Marshall, E. D. Miller; Monroe, E. P. Thompson; Montgomery, H. F. McGinnis; Leake, Raymond, Reid; Lee, Dr. Edwards; Leilore, A. F. Gardner; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lowndes, W. L. Lipscomb; Madison, W. B. Stinson; Marshall, E. D. Miller; Monroe, E. P. Thompson; Montgomery, H. F. Gardner; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lowndes, W. L. Lipscomb; Madison, W. B. Stinson; Marshall, E. D. Miller; Monroe, E. P. Thompson; Montgomery, H. F. Gardner; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lowndes, W. L. Lipscomb; Madison, W. B. Stinson; Marshall, E. D. Miller; Monroe, E. P. Thompson; Montgomery, H. F. McGinnis; Leake, Raymond, Reid; Lee, Dr. Edwards; Leelore, A. F. Gardner; Lincoln, W. R. Spencer; Lowndes, W. L. Lipscomb; Madison, W. B. Stinson; Marshall, E. D. Miller; Monroe, E. P. Thompson; Montgomery, H. F. McWilliams; Neshoba, L. Stanton; Newton, J. W. Guthrie; Noxubee, E. A. Pace; Oktibbeha, L. A. Fort; Panola, J. A. Bainwarder, Perry, G. D. Hartfield; Pike ton, Stephenson Archer; Wayne, T. H. Millard; Wilkinson, John S. Lewis; Win-ston, W. B. Shumaker; Yalobusha, M. Hicks: Webster, J. A. Clark,

To empower the Governor to make ap offices in certain cases; also one to empow holding the Circuit Courts in the Fourth District; to ascertain the outstanding in-debtedness of liquidating levee districts; to regulate the terms and appointments of professors in the University of Mississipiem to make oath not to sell or giv quor to minors or persons of known in emperate habits, persons of weak mind on Sunday, nor permit gaming in the houses, said oath to be a condition prece dent to the issuance of license.

The House bill repealing the agriculty

a vote of 55 yeas to 51 nays.

The railroad supervision bill was made e special order for to-morrow at RAILROAD SUPERVISION CAUCUS. The members of the Senate and Hou through a commission. The main features of the hill agreed upon is in keeping with the Georgia and Alabama laws on the same subject. The supervisionists clain

a good working majority in the Senate and a large majority in the House. The prospects are that supervision will prevail, but any radical features therein, if any, will be hotly contested. JACKSON CITY GOVERNMENT.

The Judiciary Committee of the House have decided to recommend the passage o terminate the treaty with a view of en- of a bill abolishing the present city gov

The weather is again very cold. I nowed last night and is freezing to-day. GADSDEN, TENN.

Hecting of the West Tenn Horticultural Society. goial to the Appeal.] Gaussias, January 24.—The annu-

neeting of the West Tennessee Horticul-Among the confirmations to-day were the following postmasters: John Thomas, Batesville, Ark., and Thomas E. Fitz-patrick, Forrest City, Ark. continue from day to day until the busi bers of the society, and all persons, male society. Persons wishing to buy home Mr. O'Neill [Pa.] introduced in the in Tennessee, and those having lands for House a bill to encourage the American sale, will do well to attend said meeting to learn more of the producing capacity Tennessee lands than is generally known Everybody is invited to attend. The door

will be open to all. BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

The Non Union Men Captured by th Strikers. pecial to the Appeal. BIRMINGHAM, January 24 .- The n esult cannot yet positively be ascertained The managers of the mills are preparing to begin work in the morning with other lice are still on duty at the mills to sur aress any attempt at violence by the strik ers, should work be begun. There is no reason now, however, to anticipate a dis

DYERSBURG, TENN. Death of Two Prominent Citizens-Bouncing Baby.

Regular Correspondence of the Appeal.] Dyensburg, January 28 .- Dr. A. Harris nairman of the Democratic Executive

Asa Jones, of Trimble, died of same disease, about same time. He was of the first attempt to compromise. The bottle-blowers have been idle for six months, and this is the first attempt to compromise. The proposition will be considered by the workmen to-morrow night.

APPEAL SPECIALS.

an emergency fund, to be subject to his judgment alone, without accountability, for the purpose of waging war with England. Mr. Byrne claims that such a course as the fund implies would be regarded by all civilized nations as guerrilla warfare, revolting to the belliggerent usages of the age, and they would be bound from self-interest to assist England in crushing it. He profests against land in crushing it. He profests against allowing Ford and Rossa, and that class, to fix a standard by which ninety-five per cent. of Irishmen and Irish politics shall be measured. Mr. Byrne closes by saying he believes he can rely on a majority of the Irish element in America, including business and professional classes, to say business and professional classes, to sup port his declaration.

ESSENCE OF IMPUDENCE.

by Sheriff Cannon

sheriif cannon means to 'ireeze' to them until he lands them in the jail of Shelby county. The authorities are very clever, and offer to assist him all they can. One of the deputy sheriffs says the doctors told him they bad received word from Memphis that Sheriff Cannon was after them and they had better look out. The question now is, who is this friend who is so well posted about the movements of the sheriff of the county?

old man, lying almost on a stove, scarcely able to whisper, in a freezing condition. To the right was an old bed occupied by a voman, who was silent when spoken to. Examination proved that she had given birth to a child. The mother was un to move. A fire was at once built by the stranger. The neighbors were notified of the affair, but by the time assistance was rocured the mother died, with the infantightly locked in her arms, unharmed. The limbs of the woman were literally rozen black. The man's name is Adams Ie stated that his wife gave birth to the hild unaided, and remained in that con sick that he could not go for help. The wood running out, and being unable to get more, he laid down by the stove on

ne floor to die. The baby is doing well THE KENTUCKY SENATORSHIP. The Deadlock Can Only End in Carlisle's

lange in the Senatorial situation nor prospect of a change in the near future. The caucus met again to night. After the ast ballot the vote stood: Williams, 52 lackburn, 45; Sweeney, 24. There is a logged determination to stick to the old-imers that bodes ill for the new men pro-losed. If is now transparent that Hal-em, who has been leading the Blackburn orces, is for Carlisle. He openly avows als preference, and says the deadlock can only end in Carlisle's election. Caucus again Friday.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

New York, January 24.-The Constituablishment of a postal telegraph. Newark, N. J., January 24.-John chneider, who killed his brother in a assion, pleaded guilty to manslaughter. The plea was accepted. Louisville, Ky., January 24.—The general freight office of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago railway was moved to Louisville to-day from Chicago. H.

Kepler was appointed assistant manager of New York, January 24.-Robert Millson has had a trial, charged with swindling boys and young men by promis-ing to have them enlisted in the United

Ball, of Conneaut, O., aged forty years, a conductor on the Nickel-Plate railway, ll from a freight train this afternoon im. Recovery is doubtful. Hunter's Point, L. I., January 24.- Dur-

ribs and leg, and the other shot him in the head. Both brothers escaped. Reading, Pa., January 24.—The insol-ency of William P. Bard, a well-known lawyer, is announced. Bard transferred \$60,000 worth of property to secure certain parties for indorsement, and the sheriff levied on the remainder. A year ago Bard was worth \$100,000, but has been

New York, January 24.—To-day in a suit brought by Mrs. De Mile for divorce, the detendant's counsel introduced a decree of divorce obtained by his client to this action. The decree was subse-quently withdrawn. Boston, January 24.-In the suit for

damages brought by John Shea and James ff. Mulcahy against Lieur. Train et al., on account of a gunshot wound inflicted by the latter through negligence while practicing in Charlestown navy-yard, a verdict ras returned for \$7500 to Shea and \$3000 House to day a resolution regarding the Mr. Hennepin canal, asking Congress to appropriate money for its construction priate money for its construction, was adopted with one dissenting vote, Weaver voting against it. The memorial designs

leaving the amount to be appropriated to the discretion of Congress. Pittsnerg, January 24.—McCully & Co., lass manufacturers, have made a proposi-

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MEMPHIS, TENN., FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 1884.

solvency, Which is Distrusted in Wall Street-What the Brokers Say About It.

New York, January 23.—It was reported on Wall street, yesterday, that Mr. Gould had again opened his strong bex and ex-hibited the securities which he owns, in

should flow from so simple a transaction," he said. "For your personal satisfaction,

paper clipping, stating that Mr. Gould had been obliged to negotiate a loan for £2,000,000 sterling. Being a friend of Mr. Gould and desirous of affording such as sistance to him as he was in need of, Mr. oconologed to negotiate a loan for £2,—
The audience was not a large one, but it is
safe to predict full houses for the remainder of the engagement. Like everysistance to him as he was in need of, Mr.
Terry proceeded to his office and showed
him the slip containing the account of the
reported loan. 'Well, well,' said Mr.
Gould, 'You are the sixth man who has
shown me that. I have not negotiated
such a loan, and am in no need of money.'

The audience was not a large one, but it is
safe to predict full houses for the remainder of the engagement. Like everything the Madison Square Theater handles,
and there is not a line or an action objectionable to the most refined taste. The
whole story is exquisitely told in the following brief quotation from Tennyson: shown me that. I have not negotiated such a loan, and am in no need of money.'

'I am very glad to hear it,' said Mr. Terry.
'I wish, Mr. Terry,' continued Mr. Gould,
'that you would take a look into
my vault and see for yourself
that I am in no need of pecuniary assistance just yet. Here, George,' turn-ing to his son, George J. Gould, 'put on your coat, take Mr. Terry up to our vault and let him examine our securities.' 'Why, Mr. Gould,' protested Mr. Terry, 'I don't ask or wish to do that. I am entirely I want you to see our vault anyhow." By this time George had his coat and hat on

"THE VAULT WAS OPENED nd the boxes taken out and the big package of securities exhibited, to Mr. Terry's surprise and satisfaction." "What did Mr. Terry say?" asked the reporter of his informant.
"Oh, that of course, I am not at liberty o state, but the securities he saw a nount-It was impossible to ascertain the exact amount of securities exhibited to Mr. Terry, as that gentleman was in honor bound not to mention the figures, but from the best sources attainable, it is ascertained that Mr. Gould owns and holds at least a million shares of various kinds of stocks and bonds. Mr. George Gould was seen last evening at his father's house. "I must ask Mr. Gould," was the reply, and after an absence of several minues he Walters, as "Mrs. Ruth." was all that

"I must ask Mr. Gould," was the reply, and after an absence of several minues he returned, saying: "You had better see dr. Gould; I don't find Mr. Gould, and of tion was absolutely without a blemish ourse don't like to talk about his busi- Miss Maude Stewart's "Edith" was as well

won't say anything about it. Go and see Mr. Terry." In obedience to this advice he reporter called on the gentleman indi-"I do not want my name mentioned in onnection with this matter which has the east significance. Mr. Gould wanted me of the enjoyment of the evening. Edwin Ardew's "Herbert" was fair. I oung Mrs. one, and so Friday I went down to
Mutual Trust Company with George
ld. I did not go to examine his securihe Mutual Trust Company with George Sould. I did not go to examine his securi-

which is indeed worth an inspection. is at least ten feet square, and quite as high, and has in it thirty openings for the posit of securities. I only examined o of these, one of which contained Western Union and the other Missonri all of his Western Union stock, and so I

"And how much did you find?" 'I found \$26,187,500 worth, with one half share over. In the other opening examined one package of the securities "How much was there in the package

which you examined, "I don't know ex ctly, but there was over \$10,000,000 worth, and there were securities in all the other openings in the vault, as I have said. Talk about breaking Jay Gould? They might as well try to break the universe."
"Is there no way of punishing those "Is there no way of punishing those on that spread these lying reports?"
"There ought to be, and I think some of the will be punished. A Chicago newspaper the other day had a head-line that spread the spread the spread that spread the spr nen that spread th them will be punished. A Chicago news-paper the other day had a head-line 'Jay Gould Bursted.' If I was Mr. Gould I'd

some of the New York papers that have had articles about Mr. Gould clearly libelous if he chose to prosecute them.

New Orleans; secretary, W. H. Reagan, Indianapolis; treasurer, J. E. Evans, Harlem, Mo. Also vice-presidents from each of nineteen States. A DECKER LAST NIGHT SAID that the following was a fair approxima-tion of Mr. Gould's present holding of stock: Western Union, 420,000 shares; Missouri Pacific, 160,000 shares; Manhat-tan, 65,000 shares; Wabash, 200,000 shares; miscellaneous, 155,000. Total, 1,000,000 shares. Another rumor was circulated

effect that the Mercantile Trust Company that there was much loss of life, as the had been obliged by the bank examiner weather being so cold nobody ventured on to call in certain loans made to Mr. Gould, as he was borrowing too much money on Western Union. Mr. Fitzgerald, president of the Trust Company, denied this, and said that the last loan made to Mr. Gould or to W. E. Company & Co. was raid off on October. Connor & Co., was paid off on October loaned him since for the simple reason that Mr. Gould could obtain all the money that he needed elsewhere at lower rates than the Trust Company was in the habit

has been that only those

THE LOST STEAMER.

Oivers at the Wreck of the Steam City of Columbus. FALMOUTH, Mass., January 24.—Divers visited the wreck of the City of Columbus to-day. They report all the works of the vessel gone, not a single state-room remaining on deck. Even the heavy iron

rods used as stays between the houses on the port and starboard sides were bent and torn from their places, while the deck itself was broken and open. Heavy timbers lay in various shapes beneath the broken surface of the deck, preventing the divers going into the hold. No bodies were seen by the divers. No attempt was made to find the bodies in the steere the state of the divers. steerage, the only descent of the divers being in the after part of the vessel. To-nighta terrible gale is blowing across the sound, and vast quantities of wreckage ming ashore at Falmouth. It is ex-

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ing the river the scenery used by the Madison Square company in Found Mrs. Winthrop did not arrive until yesterday evening, and as it was somewhat difficult o set, the curtain 'ast evening, at Leubrie' The audience was not a large one, but it is

than by Miss Dyas. William Gillette, a

anny Davenport in the title role, will re

enbrie's Theater next Thursday eveni

dorsement has been unequivocal.

Davenport's trip abroad has been of i

finite service to her, and she has returned a tragic actress. The plot of Fedora is in

ituations in such a play afford unlimited cope for acting. In New York City

ished an engagement of nearly 100

duced here next week with the original company. The engagement is limited to two nights and a Saturday matinee.

den, Ill.; vice-president, E. M. Hudson New Orleans; secretary, W. H. Reagan

Great things have ever hinged cirifies. The first family difficulty on re-

ord was caused by an apple core; the

father to keep up the supply of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup when all hands had a cold.

Blizzard in Minnesota,

St. Paul, January 24.—Reports from t

ters, a true tonic

untry around Grand Forks was visited a terrible blizzard. It is not thought

HAWLEY-At San Antonio, Texas, January

MEMPHIS

last we heard of was the negligence of

with handsome souvenir plaques.

We fell out—my wife and I.

We fell out—my wife and I.

We fell out—fix now not why, and kissed again with tears.

For when we came where lies the child we loved in other years,

There above the little grave,

Ah! there above the little grave,

We kissed again with tears.

The course peech who love ach extra the passageway just outside the chamber, who is badly burned, but will recover.

Fifty-seven men had gone to work.

There were ten men had gone to work.

There were ten men at work in the chamber, who is badly burned, but will recover.

Fifty-seven men had gone to work. Fifty-seven men were at work in chan bers 1 and 2. Two young people, who love each other fondly, are married. A coolness grows out of a misunderstanding, a separation is THESE HAVE PERISHED. The explosion was of such force as to agreed upon, and the lawyer, when abo grave of their child, and they fly into were at work on an anthracite mass. The and was dragging Mr. Terry out of the office. Mr. Gould has a large private vault in the Equitable building, and there it was that George conducted Mr. Terry.

This is all woven into a story fairly throbbing with human cumotions. And while pride, anger, grief, love and even jealousy play their parts, it was that George conducted Mr. Terry. strength because of this, but on the contrary is made more effective and has a and put to work pumping air into the deeper power to move the most generous del-springs of the human heart. It is impossible to sit by uninterested or unbers and get the bodies out to-night, if "sweetness long-drawn out." It is a fifty-five of the unfortunates. The other

Wm. Davidson, David Hughes, W. T. King, John Hular, John Hular, John McGregor, W. Smith, Tm. Maroney, hos. Laffer, ames Coughlin, Walters, as "Mrs. Ruth," was all that could have been desired. Her impersona done as any other part in the cast. She i an accomplished little actress. Miss Ad Dyas took the part of "Mrs. Dick Chetwyn and was received with delight, though i must be said the character is the east natural of the piece. But, take it as

> and leave families, many living here. At this hour everything is in such confusion that it is impossible to give details. A special train left Gunnison at 2 o'clock this afternoon with surgeons and a large number of citizens to render all aid possi-ble. The town of Crested Buttes is in number of citizens to render all aid possible. The town of Crested Buttes is in mourning. Crowds of women cluster about the entrance to the mines, praying, wringing hands and crying piteously, presenting a scene most heartrending. It is said that at the time of the explosion there were ten kegs of black powder in chambers I and 2, where the men were working, and where the explosion is supposed to have taken place. The mine is three miles of drifting, and so it is impossible to definitely locate the accident until the rescuing party can gain admittance. The mine is three of the best producing mines in the country. Its operation has always been attended with more or less apprehension and real danger.
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> "IT IS A FIRE-DAMP MINE,"
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> said Superintendent Cameron, now in Denver, "and seems constantly to generate the most deadly gases. They seem to

and real danger. Denver, "and seems constantly to generate the most deadly gases. They seem to generate in the coal or under it, and pour and shafts, yet the mine is the most per-No less than 56,000 cubic feet of fresh air is forced into the mine every minute. This is quite sufficient to fully supply the wants of the miners, and keep the air perfectly pure, unless some accident happens to cut off or interfere with the supply. This is a greater interfere with the supply. This is a greater amount of fresh air than is furnished to any other mine in the country." He added: "We send a mine reviewer through every chamber every morning before any men are allowed to go in. He must have returned this morning before the work-men started in, and overything must have been all right when he passed through."

John McNeil, State Mine Inspector, left for the scene of the disaster this evening. He says he has no doubt that every man in the mine at the time of the explosion was instantly killed. At this loon, (10

been obtained as to the perpetrator of the horrible double murder at Fenton night before last. An inquest was held to-day, but nothing elicited in any way revealing the identity of the murderers.

was instantly killed. At this hour (10 o'clock) no bodies have been recovered.

No Clew to the Bodeicker Murders.

Sr. Louis, January 24.-No clew has ye

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DEAD IN THE DEPTHS

plosion of Fire-Damp in a Colorado Coal Mine.

Heartrending Sights at the Scene the Disaster-Names of the Unfortunate Men.

DENVER, January 24.-A terrible explosion occurred at Crested Butte, Gunnison county, this morning, in the Crested Butte

0 DENVER, January 24.—The explosion a the Crested Butte coal mine this morning CARP Crested Butte, near which the mine is lo cated, is a coal-mining town thirty miles north of Gunnison City, on the Denver and Rio Grande railway. The cause of the explosion is not definitely known, but objectit is supposed from fire-damp. The plosion occurred either in chamber N or 2, just half an hour after the day force of sixty-seven men had gone to work. 4 STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

> Memphis City Fire and General Insurance Company, No. 19 Madison Street. At a special meeting of the Board of Director possible the fan was repaired work pumping air into the men set to work to remove the men set to work the

and it was also ordered that the President's let be published with the notice of the election. To the Memphis City Fire and General Insurance Company: To the Meinphis City Fire and General Insurance Company:

Gravitance—I beg to tender you my resignation as President of your Board, to take effect and dat from the list of February, 1884. I do this in justice to myself and my private business relations, which demand more of my tim and personal attention than I have hereto fore been sble to bestow, making me a loser be such want of attention on my part. In thus severing my connection as President of this Board it affords me great pleasure, sendlemen, to assure each member thereof, and the Cashier of the Company, that I entertain the highest esteem foeach of you; and I congratulate the Company in having secured the services of reculemen of such high character for bonor and integrity. It give me great pleasure to look back upon the financismangement of this Company, and it gratifies m to be able to state that there is not a single doubtful piece of discounted paper at this time held be the Company. This fact I am sure, gentlemen will gratify you as much as it does me.

I will now ask that you order an election to be held by the stockholders on the 28th instant, thill the vacancy caused by my resignation.

With the hope that the prosperity of this Company, tow so bright, may continue over onwar and upward, I am, your friend truly.

E. M. APPERSON.

On motion, it was furthermore ordered that the President's letter be spread at length on the minutes, and a special committee was appointed to report suitable resolutions on behalf of the Board of Directors, and the Cashier was also in structed to publish the same with the call for the election; and the committee reported the following RESOLUTIONS. RESOLUTIONS:

In consequence of the foregoing action of the Board of Directors, and in pursuance of the instruction, notice is hereby given to the Stock holders, of the Company to meet at the Compa ny's Office, No. 19 Madison street, at 11 o'cloc Monday, January 28, 1884. for the purpose of electing a President to fill the accase occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Apperson, as above set forth.

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